

One Last Chance

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Summary: The fourth Great Shinobi War is going on far to long. It has cost the Allied Shinobi Forces a lot of comrades. However Minato Namikaze gives Naruto Uzumaki a chance. A chance to go back and prevent things from happening before it even happens. Will Naruto accept? Will he prevent the war from happening? Will he prevent his true love from dying?

1. Chapter 1

"Do you ever think of something in your past that you done and you wish you just could go back in time and correct that problem? Naruto Uzumaki has been given that opportunity after his reanimated father who was helping him in the fourth Great Shinobi War that was going on for too long and they were losing it.

"...toâ€¦. rutoâ€¦| Naruto!" Shouted a stern voice that shocked Naruto out of his daze.

"Hnn.. What did you sayâ€¦| Shikamaru.. Dad?" Naruto was confused about the proposition that his father was giving him.

"I have come to realisation that we may not win this war with the way it is going." Shikamaru stated his opinion clearly not budging and not giving Naruto a chance to refuse or even talk.

"Son, you are the strongest shinobi we have left at the moment excluding the reanimated Hokage and Orochimaru who is alive. He is not trustworthy enough for him to travel back in time to either stop this war from dragging out to long or preventing from it happening." Minato also joined in voicing his opinion as well. Naruto flinched at the mention of reanimation jutsu as he was staring at his father's black sclera and cracked skin since it was a sign of the reanimation jutsu that Orochimaru used to bring back the hokage and depending on Sasuke's decision after learning about the truth from them about the Uchiha Clan's massacre. Thankfully Sasuke accepted the truth and

decided to side with Naruto in the war bringing the Hokage along with them. He was grateful to spend time with his father even if it was amongst a war and although most of the time was training from his father to become even stronger.

"Why? Why me? I am not as dumb as I used to be. I know about the consequences of using such powerful jutsu. It might as well be classed as a forbidden jutsu, and how did you even manage to find such a thing?" Naruto bombarded them with questions enough that Minato had to step in.

"I know how much you suffered during your childhood because of me sealing Kurama in you. I didn't have time to think of the consequences that you were forced to endure as a child. A child should never have to go through with such a thing." Minato looked really upset as he said those words.

"Dad? It sounds like the reason I am picked for this is because of the fact you want to make amends for what happened in the past." Naruto managed to calm down and think of the situation as it made more sense that if he didn't accept it. The war would end with his side losing either way but with this, he has a chance to actually stop the war before it even happens and even make the future better for others too including his best friend and brother, Sasuke Uchiha.

"Yes I guess you could call it that but you were chosen because you are strong enough to push past the side effects of this because of Kurama. Although if you don't want, then Sasuke is the other option. We will set it up when he returns back from his mission then." Minato replied with a detailed answer to Naruto's question as if they were in a diplomatic solution, he clearly didn't want to do anything that may make Naruto refuse this.

"... Shikamaru, you been awfully quiet for the past duration of this conversation. What are your thoughts on this?" Naruto felt that he didn't have enough reason to go on a suicide mission but what Shikamaru replied with will cement Naruto's decision that he is about to make.

"Shikamaru got up from his side from the side of the table and seem to be taking something out of his pocket, it seemed to be some sort of image. He walked around the table stopping before Naruto as he looked at the photo in his hand before he gave it to Naruto to look at. Naruto was shocked as it was a picture of Shikamaru and Temari during the time when they were in charge of the chunin exams which seemed like more than a decade ago. Naruto's face turned to one of grief and sympathy for Shikamaru since Naruto lost the person he loved the most in the war before he could tell her how he felt about her in a similar way to how Shikamaru lost Temari.

"Shikamaru! This is a cruel way of persuading me to do this." Naruto said without even looking at Shikamaru as he placed the photo of him and Temari on the table as he takes out a photo of someone whom he loved and stared at it hoping to get an answer from the person who is in that picture.

"That's right Naruto, it gives you the chance to confess to the one you are in love with and if you do this. It will give me the time to confess my feelings to Temari. Naruto, please do this not for me or

for saving her" He pointed at the picture of the girl that Naruto was holding to further cement Naruto's choice that he was going to make.

" Do it for Hinata".

2. Chapter 2

Naruto finally made his decision. This would be a really hard decision for a normal person to take but as soon as Shikamaru mentioned _'Do it for Hinata'_.

"Even nowâ€¦| Even now you still put others before you Shikamaru." He looked at Shikamaru with a sense of duty and seriousness in his sky blue eyes. "I have come to a decision on what I am going to do".

"No need to tell us, Naruto. We know you long enough and we know that you will do anything you can possibly think of to save the future of the shinobi". Shikamaru smiled for the first time in many years. He was obviously very happy, he is going to see Temari again.

"... I am sorry to interrupt this happy environment that you two guys have" Minato clearly had more to say if he was stopping Shikamaru and Naruto's happy moment. "I know you want time to prepare for the trip but you won't need to prepare anything since thanks to Orochimaru using the reanimation jutsu. I now have enough Chakra that is needed to do this jutsu, it is dangerous for me to send you to the past so what I am going to do is send your consciousness to the past instead since I don't know what effect that having two Naruto's at one time would have on the world".

"Wouldn't it just be like the shadow clone jutsu?" Naruto didn't seem to see any problems with him going back in his current body nor did he have any problem going back into his body of his past.

"Noâ€¦| It wouldn't be like a shadow clone jutsu. We best take this route since we don't know what effect this could have." Shikamaru rubbed the back of his hand and sighed. " You will refrain from entering sage mode or using any high rank jutsus within your past body since i don't think it can handle the strain of that jutsu"

"What is wrong with using sage mode? It will help me a lot in the past same for the other jutsus" Naruto asked Minato what is the problem with that and after pondering on it, he seemed to understand what Shikamaru was saying. "I see what Shikamaru means by that now. Naruto your body is younger and less trained than the body you have now so it means that your past body won't be able to handle the current body's type of strength you display now. Which means that you might have to persuade Kurama to be your ally all over again since I don't know if he will get his memories or anything of the sort."

"I think it will be fine since Kurama has access to my memories even with or without the seal so I think he will probably grasp the situation and probably help me. Although I think it would be best to be sent to around the time when I was out with Jiraiya training to bring back Sasuke. Since I can get help from him and he will probably understand me better than anyone including Tsunade." Naruto explained the reason for his choosing of time and caused everyone to believe

that it would be a good idea to be sent that period of time considering Jiraiya's information networks and such.

"What are you doing, dobe?" Sasuke has just not long returned from his mission to scout out the enemies location. "Teme, we were just talking about a backup plan in case things go wro-" Sasuke interrupted Naruto "It also already going wrong, so what is the backup plan since we are probably going to need it since Madara's forcing will probably be here within the next few weeks." Naruto sighs as he rubs his eyebrows to relieve him of stress.

"Sasuke." Sasuke seem pretty worried considering that Naruto rarely calls him by his name unless things were very serious. "We were discussing about using my father's Space-Time jutsu expertise to send me or you back in time and since he is reanimated thanks to Orochimaru, we don't have to worry about too much consequences. However, Shikamaru could you find one of the other Hokage's for me since I think I want to play it safe with this Jutsu so myself and Sasuke will both be sent back in time since we don't know if it will work and if we have two people doing this, we have a better chance of succeeding." Shikamaru seemed surprised at what Naruto said but he knew Naruto was right so he prevented him from saying anything more and decided to get another reanimated Hokage so that Sasuke could be sent with Naruto to the past.

"Naruto, are you sure this is going to work?" Sasuke asked Naruto unsurely that it was going to work.

"Sasuke, I trust my father and if he ever thought that was never going to work then he would never of brought it to my attention or even considered trying to tell me about it. I trust his decision and I know he would do this if he can't do it himself so I assume that this does not work for the reanimated Hokage." Minato was surprised that he noticed a flaw in the jutsu without even seeing it but complimented him on it since he has improved a lot since the start of the war since Naruto and Sasuke no longer have their rivalry between them anymore. They decided to get the stick out of their ass and push it to the side and focus on the bigger picture.

"Yes, you are correct Naruto and I've tested it on myself but it does not seem to work. Shikamaru offered and we were only able to send him back about an hour with small amount of chakra, just enough to power a small Rasengan." Minato grabbed Naruto on his shoulder and pulled him into a hug. "If you prevent this war, then it means that you will never meet me and you and Sasuke will only remember the future. So I will let you know that I am very proud of you and what you have become. You are true leader and comrade to your friends." Naruto seemed surprised but he returned his father's hug with his own.

"No! Thank you. You shown me what I didn't know about you. I only knew things about you from history books that I read in Iruka-sensei's lessons. Thank you for teaching me and making me a much stronger shinobi, I know that I will be able to protect my friends with my current power." They stopped hugging as Shikamaru walked in and stepped to the side allowing another reanimated Hokage to walk in after him. It was Hashirama Senju and it seems that Shikamaru explained everything to him as the first thing he did was thank both Sasuke and Naruto for what they will be doing and told them that they are the true legendary shinobi for what they are about to do.

"Sasuke and Naruto, I think it is time. It is time for you to back home." Minato placed his hand on the first Hokage's shoulder. Naruto smirked at this and thinking it was nice to know his father and not just his father. He got to talk to the previous Hokage's of his village.

3. Chapter 3

"Well, you go get everything ready for the time travelâ€¦ leap. Jump thingy. It is going to take a while to get used to saying that." Shikamaru was pretty confused about all this since he only knew for a few more days than Naruto has. "I will brief Sasuke and Naruto on what was going around that period of time" Shikamaru seemed to want to make really sure that they get this right because their future is at stake after all.

Minato and Hashirama went to another room to prepare the jutsu for it to work. Sasuke and Naruto both sat around a table with Shikamaru close by as they start to go over the plan. "Since it is going to be in the middle of the training you did with Jiraiya, that means Sasuke will be with Orochimaru. I don't know how Sasuke is going to get away from Orochimaru considering the time you tried to kill him for him only just to come back later. Which is why it would be better if you take advantage of that environment as well and keep tabs on Kabuto who will at some point perfect the reanimation jutsu. It would probably be necessary to dispose of him at that time before he gets too powerful." Shikamaru seem to want to get this right time after time as he goes over what Sasuke must do.

"Alright, I can do that. I will probably won't be able to use my Mangekyou Sharingan since I only managed to get the Stage 3 Sharingan at that time. I think it would probably be best if we use our jutsus and knowledge from this time." Shikamaru knew that Sasuke was going to talk about his new jutsus and he explained to Sasuke what he said to Naruto earlier about his body will be weaker in the past that it is in the future.

"Although it is not recommended but I do think you should only use these techniques in emergency or slowly break it down for your body to get used to it faster." Shikamaru just gave Naruto and Sasuke the okay to use their powerful jutsus and such if the situation calls for it.

"Alright, since we already explained what I am going to do with Jiraiya and the reason why, since I will prove to Jiraiya that I came from the future as I will then need to prove it which will be no problem." Naruto and Sasuke seemed to have the details hammered into their brain so they wouldn't forget.

Shikamaru was proud of the man Naruto became, he was less childish and become more serious and thought more with his head rather than his fists since he knew that if he continued doing that, Naruto would probably of died. A few hours or so has passed since they had the conversation about what they should do when they get back to the past and Minato has everything already set up as he returned to them as he got them to follow to another room. There was a massive fuinjutsu on the floor much like a circle with nothing in the centre but extending outwards with writing that not even Naruto could figure out.

"Are we supposed to sit in the centre of these?" Naruto asked a question and Minato just simply nodded as Naruto and Sasuke got into position as they stood in their own fuinjutsu as Minato and Hashirama stood next to them.

"Minato so what do I do here?" Hashirama seemed pretty confused on what he was supposed to do since he isn't knowledgeable in what Minato is trying to do.

"It's fine, you don't have to do anything apart from feed the jutsu your chakra as the fuinjutsu I placed will do the rest." Minato seemed to know what he was doing since he must of spent a lot of time researching this.

"Are you ready?" Minato asked the guys as they nodded as the two hokage put chakra into the seals and feed it enough that Naruto's vision was going white and he was seeing his past happen and the futures that could of happen. Naruto blinked as he was in a different area as he was behind a man with long spiky white hair that was tied into a ponytail.

"I made it. I made it!" Naruto jumped in joy of the jutsu being success as Jiraiya just turned around wondering what Naruto was doing.

"Why the heck are you shouting so loud all of a sudden! You scared the crap out of me boy!" Naruto must of caught Jiraiya off guard with his shouting and made him jump. "We are no way near our next destination just yet" Naruto looked around as they were walking through a forest and there was the sounds of the birds chirping and waterfall can be hard as it must not be far from where he is.

"Jiraiya." These sudden words and change of attitude made Jiraiya flinched as Naruto never called him Jiraiya. It was always pervy sage that Naruto used to call him by. "You may not believe what I am about to say but listen to me anyway." Naruto just seemed to stare at Jiraiya with a serious and powerful gaze. Jiraiya noticed it as he motioned his hand to Naruto to continue. Naruto then began to explain about the time he was from, the war he was fighting and losing. He also told Jiraiya that this was a last resort.

"Since your eyes don't seem to be lying to me since they haven't flinched for even a second while you were telling me this story. I guess you must be serious but forgive me If I don't believe you fully since I can't just take your word for it. For all I know, you could be homesick and want to return home." Naruto seemed to know that Jiraiya would say something like this so he replied with a simple sentence that Jiraiya knew that Naruto shouldn't of known about.

"Jiraiya, I learn sage mode in Mount Myoboku from Fukusaku and Shima some point in the future." He felt that it wasn't necessary for him to mention Jiraiya's death since he was planning to save him anyway. "I can show you but I will have to get my body used to Nature chakra since I am not sure if this body at this moment of time is strong enough to handle it."

"No need, I believe you since there was no other way you would know

those two names unless I told you and I haven't so that is enough proof I need." Naruto was content with Jiraiya's answer. "So what do you want to do now." Jiraiya seemed to think that the training should be withheld for now since Naruto's mission from the future comes first. Sensing this Naruto simply replied with " Well in order for me to prevent the tailed beasts from getting captured I would love to visit them and talk to them but I doubt they would believe me, so the only other option would probably to explain this to Tsunade and see if she can use some sort of diplomatic situation to try and unite the the kage for a meeting with all the Jinchuruki there as well. To persuade them, I have an idea for what I must do." Jiraiya seemed to think that was a good idea since the war that Naruto speaks of, it would probably be best if the prevent the akatsuki from taking the tailed beasts.

"Alright, we will take a shortcut using Gamabunta so a few month's journey would probably take about a week if we rush straight there. Although I doubt Gamabunta would be willing." Naruto interrupted by saying "Just give him a barrel of sake or something and besides this is an emergency although we have few years to prepare but I want to make sure that we are prepared for everything that is about to come. Jiraiya nodded as he decided he would be the one to summon Gamabunta and then Naruto took a couple of steps back as to give Jiraiya room to summon Gamabunta.

Jiraiya bit his thumb enough hard straight after he did the handsigns needed to perform the summon jutsu. He slammed his hand hard straight on the floor and with a poof of smoke, Gamabunta could be seen standing there as the smoke cleared.

Before giving a chance for Gamabunta to ask why he has been summoned for no reason. "We need your help to get to the Hidden Leaf village and fast, there is an emergency we need to let Tsunade know." Jiraiya pointed out the main things that were important and jumped onto his back along with Naruto.

"Fine, you owe me." Gamabunta noticed the seriousness of the two before him as he listened to them and started to get ready to move as quickly as he can.

"I know, and I owe you a lot because of this Gamabunta." Naruto said to Gamabunta just before he leapt into the air to get to where the need to be faster.

'_I wonder how Sasuke is doing'. _Naruto thought as he was on Gamabunta's back.

4. Sasuke's arrival

Sasuke Uchiha woke up in a bed in Orochimaru's hideout, he thought he would never see this place again especially after when it was destroyed after when Naruto tapped into Kurama's strength to bring him back. Sasuke thinking of his past self made him regret his choices that he made and wish he could make himself a better person and now he has that chance.

Sasuke just smirked as he got up and got ready to leave the room as he was confronted by Kabuto.

"Sasuke. Orochimaru would like to see you, he has a gift for you." Kabuto bowed to Sasuke as he said this, he clearly knew when to hide his tail and pounce on the enemy at the right moment. You would never think that this person was the one responsible for the reanimated shinobi in the fourth shinobi war.

Sasuke just grunted at him in response. 'Got to play the part of my egotistical past self so I can get close to Orochimaru and not get any problems rising'. Sasuke rest his hand on his hip as he followed Kabuto to where Orochimaru is, he was sat in a massive room with just a bed in the centre of that room. He saw Orochimaru sat up with something wrapped up on his lap. It was long and shaped like a "Sword". He didn't realise he just said that out loud but he managed to pull it off as he already knew what it was since this was where he got his sword.

"Nothing seems to get by you Sasuke. This is a gift from me to you. I imagine you find it to your liking" He chuckled like he was proud of what Sasuke was doing since Sasuke seemed to notice things a lot better with his Sharingan or without. He knew it was nearly time for when he could take Sasuke's body for his own and wield his power like it was his own, specially the Sharingan.

Sasuke took the sword and took it out of the cloth, it was completely brand new. When compared to the sword he had in his own time. His sword's blade was chipped in a few areas but still managed to function perfectly well. He tested it by placing it to Kabuto's throat.

"Sasuke what are you doing". Kabuto held up his hands in defence.

"Playing the scared defenseless little lamb, Kabuto? I know your future" Sasuke's sudden words confused both Kabuto and Orochimaru.

"What are you talking about? You see the future? Is it the Sharingan?" Orochimaru seemed pretty happy and excited by what was transgressing right in front of him. "Tell me what your Sharingan sees Sasuke".

"It does not see anything like the future, I just happen to come from the future. The time where I come from, Kabuto will resurrect the famous shinobi of the entire world and use them to try and take over the world". Sasuke knew that just saying it wouldn't persuade Orochimaru at the moment. He didn't have the time or the risk to chance letting Kabuto live. So he sent his chidori chakra through the blade and pull the sword back and slashed at Kabuto's neck and he just pretty much just prevented the whole from happening with what he just did.

Orochimaru seemed confused by what is going on nevertheless he still watched what Sasuke was doing. "I never told you about the fact that the sword is made of material that can use your chakra nature as a weapon similar to how Asuma Sarutobi of the Hidden Leaf Village uses his kunai. I guess you really are from the future." Sasuke just smirked as he began to explain to Orochimaru what was going on and told him that he should put his petty desire to have a new body aside and help him prevent the war or anything like that happening ever again. Although Sasuke thought it was too easy to simply just kill

someone who would be the leader of a massive army that will in the future decimate majority of the shinobi population. He went over to Kabuto's corpse to double check that if it was actually him and if he was actually dead. Sasuke suspicions were correct since all that was there was simply snakes.

"Sasuke, I can just give up on my goal. Have you seen my body, if I don't get a new body. My will die and so will I." Sasuke somehow knew that he was going to say that but what he says next managed to finally persuade Orochimaru in helping.

"I know about the true purpose of the Curse Mark seal and the potential it can be used to resurrect or bring you back through that seal. It works, I tried it." Orochimaru just looked at Sasuke and seemed to properly be convinced. "You got me Sasuke, you truly are from the future. If you know about that then it would probably be best if we went with that." Sasuke nodded and told him that he needed to get to the hidden leaf village.

"Orochimaru, I also know that it is technically a clone of you so this body really isn't needed, I know he will retain his memories of until now." Orochimaru didn't seem pretty content with what Sasuke is saying. He asked him if he was meaning to kill him.

"Yes. If I tried taking you so you can merge with your clone. You will only just slow me down and we can't afford to waste time." Sasuke hold his sword up towards Orochimaru's chest ready to pierce him through the heart. "It will be quick and painless and you will wake up the next second within Hidden Leaf Village." Sasuke then pierced Orochimaru's chest after he nodded giving the all go for what Sasuke was doing.

"Make sureâ€¦ I live." Sasuke nodded at Orochimaru and watched him slip away as he then pulled the sword out of his body and began to set off to the Hidden Leaf Village.

"I am coming, Naruto. Just hold on for a few more days" He was running as fast as his chakra powered legs could propel him through acres of forests.

5. Chapter 4

A week has passed and Naruto has finally returned back to the village. He is now standing before the massive gates of the Hidden Leaf Village. He just stands there and stares at it, he feels happy to actually see that gate once again. The entire village was destroyed in the time where he came from after all. Jiraiya notices his student staring and felt it would be best if he pulled him away.

"Naruto, you can look at the village better inside." Jiraiya knew what to say to make Naruto move and feel better. He nodded with the biggest grin on his face as he dashes straight towards the open gate. He ignores the two chunin standing beside the gate and just zooms past them.

"I am heading straight to Tsunade!" Naruto shouted this as he turned and waved to Jiraiya as he was trying to keep up. Without looking where he was going, he crashed into someone. Someone he did not

expect to see.

"Watch where you are going! You idiot" He looked at the centre of the loud shouting and saw a pink haired girl sat on the floor rubbing her head. Naruto instantly knew who it was as he leapt to his feet and helped her up.

"Sakura. I am so sorry about that." Sakura then just realised that it was Naruto she bumped into. "Naruto! You are back earlier than intended, I thought you still had another year to go." Naruto just dusted off the dirt that was on Sakura's shoulders and then dusted himself off.

"I have some urgent news for Tsunade." Sakura was taken back by how seriously Naruto had said those words. She was also taken by back the fact that he called Tsunade by her proper name and not by the nickname that Naruto gave her, 'old lady' (Obaa-chan). She then noticed Naruto wasn't wearing his Leaf shinobi headband. It was required for all shinobi to wear their headbands when walking around in the village.

"Why are you being so respectful to Tsunade all of a sudden by not using her nickname and how come you are not wearing your headband?" Naruto simply raised his hand and placed his hand on his forehead. He didn't feel he was worthy enough to wear it, only true shinobi of the Hidden Leaf Village deserve it. He didn't feel like he deserved it since he practically failed the entire shinobi world.

"I...I don't deserve to wear it, Sakura." Naruto just simply look straight to the ground as he said those words. Sakura saw something in his eyes but did not know what she saw, she didn't see Naruto's sky filled coloured eyes, sure it was the same colour but it felt less 'Naruto' like to her.

"Whats wrong?" As she said those words, Jiraiya came up behind her and butted into the conversation. "Sakura, I am afraid we can't say." He then placed his hand on Naruto's head and messing his hair up to comfort and snap Naruto out of his self pity. "Sorry Sakura, we must head straight to Tsunade since I have something urgent to tell her." Naruto walked past Sakura waving to her and then ran straight to the hokage tower. It was where he saw a pile of paperwork on top of a desk and the top of a head, a blonde woman's head.

"Tsunade!". She then stood up to see Naruto behind the paperwork. "Naruto! When did you come back? I thought you weren't returning for another year? Did you already finish your training? What did Jiraiya do? Wait? 'Tsunade' when did you start calling me that?"

"Ho€| Hold on, too many questions. I will answer them but I have something urgent to tell you as soon as Jiraiya and€| someone else gets here." Tsunade nodded as she moved the paperwork out of the way and put them on a shelf out of the way for now. As soon as she sat back down in her chair, Jiraiya jumped in through the window.

"Now that he is here? In fact who is the other person?" Tsunade was confused since she didn't know anyone else would be here if Naruto had something to say.

Naruto held up his hand to stop her from asking even more questions. Tsunade was taken back by the sudden authority that Naruto was

displaying right now and simply listened to Naruto and kept quiet. "First, I need you to call the rest of Team 7 here, they just have as much of a right as you to know about this." Tsunade nodded as she called forth a member of the Anbu and told them to bring Sakura and Kakashi to her immediately and he listened to and sprung straight into action, literally, out of the window.

"Naruto? Didn't we just not long bump into Sakura? Why didn't you just get her tag along then." Jiraiya pointed that out since they not long just met her. Naruto just realised and just facepalmed for that. "I forgotâ€¦". Jiraiya found it comforting a little that Naruto was the same idiot that he is in the future. Shortly after that Sakura appeared coming through the door.

"Yes Tsunade? How can I help you?" Tsunade stood up and told her to take a seat as Naruto sighed as he knew Kakashi was going to be late. Very late.

"He is going to be late. At least he will give 'him' enough time to get here." Tsunade was confused along with Sakura but Jiraiya had a small feeling on who it could be. A few hours have passed and Kakashi finally shows up as Naruto is rhythmically tapped on the arm of the chair.

"Always late as ever, Kakashi." Naruto just shot a stern look at his direction as Kakashi just waved at Naruto and simply replied with one of his pathetic excuses he uses whenever he turns up late. Until a few more Anbu showed up saying that someone is at the gate demanding to see the hokage.

"Who is it?" Tsunade asked the anbu and he simply replied with that he didn't have a clue since the person wouldn't reveal his identity. Naruto then stood up and simply told him to allow him to enter but the anbu didn't listen so Naruto sighed and looked over to Tsunade as if it was an order to her, she then nodded in confirmation to that order. The anbu then left to deliver that message to the gate as then shortly after ten minutes a hooded figure stood at the door.

"You took your time, Sasuke." Sasuke pulled down his hood and shocked everyone in the room. "You knew I was coming here anyway so you didn't really have to wait for me, Naruto." Tsunade and everyone in the room was demanding answers from Naruto.

"Alright I will talk now. Tsunade, a privacy seal place?" Tsunade listened to Naruto and put up a privacy seal as Sasuke closed the door to the room.

"You will not believe what I am about to tell you but I can prove it if you allow me..". Tsunade was getting really confused but it seems she wasn't the only person with Jiraiya being the least confused.

"We are from the future" He placed his hand on Sasuke's shoulder to further clarify what he meant. Sasuke looked at Sakura with the biggest smirk he had shown her in years. "However what we are about to tell you is for the best interest of the future shinobi and othersâ€¦" Hinata's dying face came to mind when he said that but he quickly shook his head as to get rid of those thoughts. Sasuke noticed it and then continued the conversation as he explains what happens in the future and in the Fourth Great Shinobi War. The others

then started asking questions.

"Both of you? How old are you mentally?" Kakashi asked Naruto and Sasuke as they both replied with their ages of the time where they came from.

"I am 34" replied Naruto. Sasuke replied with "35". Kakashi was surprised by this since that means that Naruto and Sasuke were older than him since he is only 28 at the moment. "Anotherâ€¦ Was it really Obito under that mask?" Naruto nodded in confirmation and told him that he was the one responsible for the nine tails attack on the village. Sakura was sitting in her seat pretty shocked. Tsunade broke the silence by saying she doesn't believe them until Jiraiya spoke. "He is telling the truth Tsunade." He looked at her with absolute certainty in his eyes.

"You knew about this?" She pointed to them as she asked that question. "I knew about Naruto since he told me but when Naruto mentioned that he was waiting for someone, I thought it might have been Sasuke but I couldn't just say it."

Tsunade sighed and furrowed her eyebrows as she rubbed them. Sakura decided to ask a question and it was an obvious question anyone would ask someone from the future.

"Do I â€¦" Sasuke interrupted with "Do you die? Yes." Naruto punched Sasuke in his shoulder. "Way to ease it in Sasuke, you idiot?". Sasuke rubbed his shoulder and punched Naruto back in his shoulder. "It doesn't matter if we tell them or not. We are here to prevent that from ever happening." Sakura was taken back by Sasuke's words, he was obviously a lot more open with his mind and feelings in the future if he spoke more than three words in a sentence. Naruto just sighed and nodded in confirmation to what Sasuke said to him.

"You're right, It would be best if we told everyone but certain people are not trusted in this moment of time with secrets. We will tell most people that we trust about what happens in the future. You guys were the main people that should be told since you were in my team and the fact that you are my teacher and of course the Hokage." Naruto spoke more professionally with every sentence he says as Sakura is finding it weird which Naruto noticed and picked up on.

"What's wrong, Sakura? Not used to much intelligence from that blonde idiot" Sasuke butted in before Naruto could even ask what was wrong. "Sakura, please do not ask too much what happened in the future since it was a reallyâ€¦ bad place. Many lives were lost. Specially the person Naruto loves." Naruto mentioned that and felt it would be best to get any wrong messages out of the way as he told Sakura that she was not the one he loved. Sakura seemed relieved by what she said as she continued staring at Sasuke. Naruto felt it would be fair to get his revenge on Sasuke since he told everyone it was Hinata.

"Yeah Sasuke, don't you want to confess your dying unconfessed love to the person you miss the most." Sasuke knew what was coming as he threatened Naruto if he told everyone he would kill him. Although everyone was taken back by the fact that he mentioned Tsunade's name which made her retreat back a little as Sasuke noticed and blurted out the real person he loved. "I don't love Tsunade like that! It is

Sakura! Sakura is the one I love" Sasuke realised what just happened as he stares straight at Naruto with intent to mutilate him.

"You brought this upon yourself, Sasuke." Naruto laughed at him.

"Anyway, I feel it would be best if we finish for the day. I want to rest for the next few days before we head out to our next destination." Naruto's big happy smile disappeared as if he was two people. "What do you mean by that? Where are you going?" Tsunade asked Naruto but Sasuke replied with the answer. "We are rallying up the five villages before the war begins and ending it early. We are hoping to prevent the Akatsuki from ever getting the tailed beasts, so first place would be Gaara." Naruto nodded with what Sasuke said as Tsunade sighs and gives confirmation and permission to do so. "Although we would like it if we brought a team along with us." Naruto thought it would be best if there were more of them so that they can beat the akatsuki quicker and more safer. Tsunade gave him permission to have a team sorted out for when they set out. "Tsunade? I mean two teams. I am going to Gaara, Sasuke is not. He is going to get Itachi." Sasuke flinched at those words as he looked at Naruto. "I thought we were supposed to gather allies for the war, naruto?" Naruto sighed at Sasuke's question as he replied with "You know Itachi is not an enemy. He would be best to have on our side and you are the better person to persuade him than I am." Sasuke just thanked Naruto for what he was saying. "Naruto, I assume you are letting Sasuke stay at yours? Since his old house was taken and given to someone else in the time he left." Sasuke replied with that he was fine with and would probably just crash on Naruto's crash or camp in a training field or something. Naruto confirmed that he was okay with Sasuke staying at his place.

"Well, you can release the privacy seals now since it would be best if we get going now since it looks pretty late" Naruto stated that as he look past Kakashi who was leaning against the window and it was pretty dark and you could see the lights of the houses that the tower they are in overlooks. Tsunade then released the privacy seal as everyone started then leaving until Kakashi stopped Naruto, Sasuke and Sakura.

"I would like to organise a training meeting tomorrow. I know that you two probably have excellent teamwork with us. But we do not know how you fight since we haven't trained with your or Sasuke in two years." Kakashi asked Naruto to see how strong he is in the future.

"Sure Kakashi, but we are not good as a team with you as I am with Sasuke. I have not seen you since you died 7 years ago for me and 6 for Sakura.". Kakashi thought it was a good idea to train since he felt like that was a good idea since he kinda knew that they haven't saw them as they looked at Kakashi and them with grief. As soon as he gave them the time they would meet the next day. Sasuke was getting bombarded by questions from Sakura, they were mostly were about their love between them and how long he loved her and such. He was visibly getting annoyed and kept throwing glances to Naruto for help.

"Well, we are going home now. Bye everyone." He then left pulling Sasuke along who was grateful for that rescue from Sakura as she was left behind pouting.

6. Chapter 5

Naruto was stood in his living room sitting on the window looking out at the night sky. He couldn't sleep, since he dreams about the people he failed from his time every night he closes his eyes and is scared that he will revisit their deaths once again. Since he couldn't sleep, he felt like it would be a good idea to go for a walk and train to get his body back up to shape that his body was in the future. So he decided to go to a training ground, and so he went to the training ground as he felt chilly so he zipped his jacket back up and decided to train on using sage mode to see if his body can handle it. Although he managed to get past the problem in which Fukasaku and Shima couldn't gather the sage chakra for him because of Kurama.

He came with the idea that Kurama will gather up the sage mode chakra for him but Naruto hasn't spoken to him yet ever since he came to this time so he thought it was long overdue so he sat down leaning against a wooden training pole and meditated to speak to Kurama in his mind. He closed his eyes and then reopened to see the gates of the seal that Kurama was held behind.

"**Took you long enough to get here." **Kurama seemed to eager to see Naruto since they weren't the best of buddies in this time just yet. Naruto took it as a sign that he may of gotten his memory from the future along with Naruto.

"So you retained your memories now did you?" Naruto walked towards the gate pushing the water out of his way. The water seemed higher than he remembered since it was up to his ankles.

"**Yes, I did and it seemed to have a massive effect on this seal. It won't lost with the double of my chakra and your chakra.**"

Naruto was really confused on what he said. "What do you mean double? In this time, you were split into two and we didn't get the other half of you until dad returned it to normal."

"**It seems our chakra levels were brought with us too into our past body. Since we are essentially time travelling into our past and into their bodies. I think we have the chakra of our future and past self combined. I don't think the seal can handle so much chakra being sealed in it." **Naruto stood there bewildered by what he was told.

"You mean my chakra reserves are a whole lot bigger than when I was in the future?" Kurama sighed and just nodded to his answer and he simply clutched his hand onto the gate demanding Naruto open up the seal.

"**Hurry up and open this damn gate, I am getting smothered and choked by my own chakra. It is hard to try and keep it under control so I don't get attacked by this seal thinking of it as a threat." **Naruto jumped and quickly unsealed it so that Kurama could properly breathe and not hold back. Although the seal was no problem but the fact that Naruto just released the chakra that is double of Kurama's power and his own doubled doing so too. He has pretty much set of a chakra bomb in the entire city for those who can sense chakra to notice but it was so much that even those who could not sense chakra could definitely feel it. Within moments, Naruto was surrounded by

many shinobi thinking of it as a threat as Naruto was kneeling over and clutching his stomach and chest.

"It burns! It burns!" Tsunade quickly jumped down and rushed straight to Naruto to try and help him but she felt the air get heavier and heavier on her as she tried to get closer to Naruto. She was healing him because the chakra is not being controlled correctly but since she has never seen anything like this she was overwhelmed. Jiraiya felt it and quickly got to Naruto's side as fast he could get.

"Naruto, can you hear me?! You are trying to bottle up the chakra and your body can't take it! Make the bottle bigger! Get rid of the lid!" Naruto in the past would of been confused by those words but he did something similar to this when he first released Kurama's powers. He conjured up a mental bottle in his head and made it get bigger and bigger each second and with each second passing the chakra started calming down until it was gone.

He had his hand on Tsunade's shoulder clutching for the duration of this happened. His body was ripped from the inside by the overpowering chakra and when he could think properly, all he could hear was Kurama apologising over and over to him. He quickly reassured him that he was fine but was taken back by the sudden amount of chakra. He laid there on the floor taking in deep breaths as Tsunade was healing Naruto's wounds as Sasuke walked up to him.

"What the hell were you doing! That chakra could of killed people with the amount that you released! You would've never made a rookie mistake like that!" These words that Sasuke said stroke Naruto hard. "I got to relaxed ever since I returned here, you're right. I should of thought first before doing such a thing. However the seal would of broke in time because of Kurama's chakra being double in size anyway and that would of killed us and it wouldn't of mattered if I left the village to do this since they would still feel the pressure anyway." Sasuke was confused by what he said and Naruto explained what he meant about they having double the size of their chakra since they came from the future.

"So you mean I have more chakra now?" Sasuke asked this as Naruto motioned him to help him to his feet as there were many people watching including people that he was planning to see and talk about in the next few days. "Yeah you can foster your past's body to make their chakra even stronger. Naruto was still taken back by what just happened as he just stared at this black and orange outfit being mostly torn up by what happened. He apologised to Tsunade as she kept rambling on and on about what he should of done and he was surprised by Jiraiya joining in scolding him too. Everyone started returning to their homes but a few people were walking towards Naruto to see for themselves if he was alright.

Naruto was shocked to see the rest of his generation all standing there. Shikamaru, Kiba, Shino, Ino, Choji, Sakura, Neji but the one who stood out the most to Naruto, was Hinata. He stood there staring at Hinata and she was worried about Naruto but also really nervous about going near him and the fact that he was staring at her.

"What the hell, Naruto! You woke me up when I was busy sleeping and I thought that we were under attack! And when did you even get back

anyway!" Ino was loud as ever, constantly shouting all the time. "Wait! Sasuke!" Everyone was surprised by how nonchalantly Sasuke just walked through the village to Naruto. At first they thought their eyes were playing tricks on them but that was one of the reasons why that had to move closer to make sure.

Sasuke punched Naruto in the shoulder. "Geez, thanks for giving me more trouble. You idiot." Naruto just turned around and just shouted at him. "What do you mean, Idiot! I was going to tell them all before we left so it doesn't really matter much if they find out now or tomorrow!" He finished that by punching him in his shoulder in return. Naruto sighed and simply told them that he would explain this tomorrow and asked them if they could meet him at the same time when Kakashi asked him to train with him. They all agreed but apart from a few people wanting to see Sasuke but Sakura knew what it was about and told Ino to shove it and not to put their feelings first.

"It is getting late anyway so it would be best if you got some sleep before tomorrow" He said that and then looked at Hinata and that shocked Hinata as well but what shocked her even more was the smile he gave her. It was not the usual wide mouth, teeth showing smile. It was one of love and it was like a weight was being lifted. Hinata fainted from looking into his eyes and that caused Sasuke to punch Naruto in the back of the head as he whispers in his ear.

"Stop that, you are looking at her with those eyes. She is not dead, be happy and live a new life. You deserve it the most out of us all" He thought of Hinata's death and told Naruto that her death was not his fault. "Her death couldn't be avoided, she gave her life so that you could live." Naruto flinched at those words and pushed Sasuke away from him as he tossed his house keys to Sasuke to send him back to his house. "I am taking Hinata home since she fainted and it doesn't seem like she is going to wake for another while." Sasuke nodded and took off to Naruto's house as everyone left to theirs leaving Naruto and a unconscious Hinata.

He picked up Hinata in a bridal style and slowly walked to her house as he head fit perfectly between Naruto's shoulder and his head as he rested his head on hers. Hinata slowly opened her eyes as she swore she saw Naruto crying and mumbling a few words but she only could make out a few words. "Thank god". "Alive". " As he said those words Hinata felt Naruto's grip on her tighten which causes Hinata to faint once more before Naruto returned her to one of the guards in the Hyuuga compound. He also told the guard to tell Hinata a message in the morning. He left rubbing his eyes and that night he had the best sleep he had in quite a long time.

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